# SEMS Technical Group Database User Instructions

## Accessing the Database:

From the OES Homepage (www.oes.ca.gov), click on the "NIMS/SEMS" logo on the right side of the page.

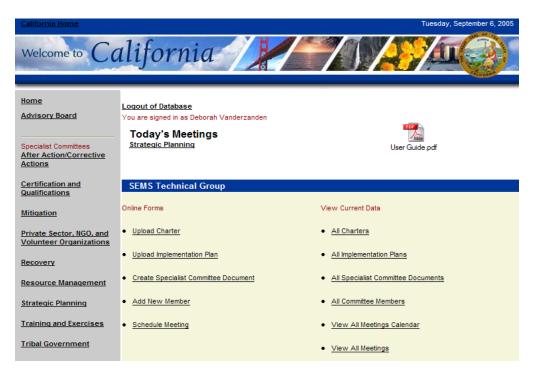
This will open the "NIMS/SEMS National Incident Management System" page. Click on the link called "SEMS Technical Group (Login Required)" to access the database.

Log In: Enter your Username/Password at the prompt.



## Navigation and Links:

The SEMS Technical Group main page has links to all of the forms and information summaries in the database. Click the "Home" link from any screen to return to this main page.



The "Advisory Board" and "Technical Group" links will show a listing of the monthly reports, the members, and scheduled meetings for both groups.

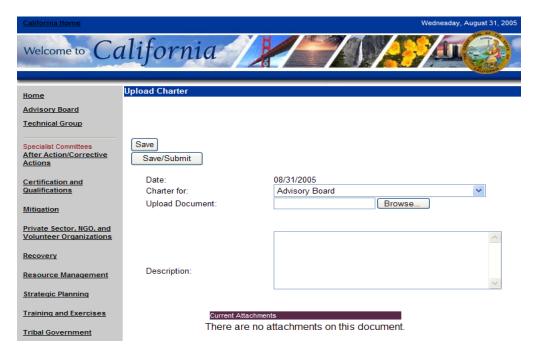
The "Specialist Committees" links display a list of any support documents created for committee selected as well as a listing of the committee members, scheduled meetings, meeting notes and monthly reports.

The "View Current Data" section provides links to summaries of all entries made in the database.

The "Online Forms" section links to online forms to create new documents in the database (access to create new forms is limited to committee chairs. The links will not be visible to other users). Below is a summary of each of the input forms:

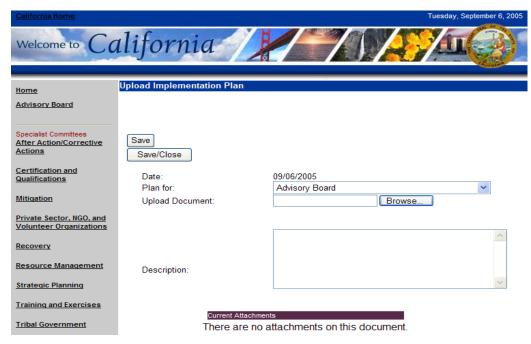
**Upload Charter** – This form allows you to attach a charter document to the database.

- 1. Select the appropriate committee from the "Charter for:" pull down menu.
- 2. Click on the "Upload Document" field and click on the "Browse" button.
- 3. Select the file from your computer you wish to attach to the database.
- 4. Use the "Description" field to enter additional information about the charter document.
- 5. Click "Save/Submit" to save your entry.



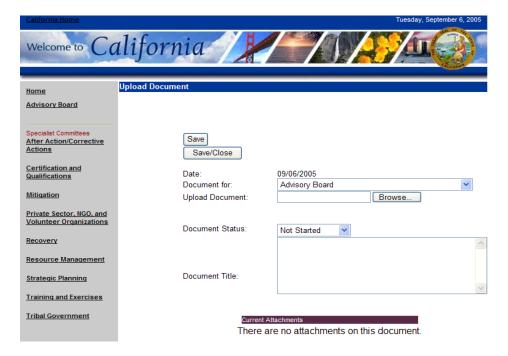
Upload Implementation Plan - This form allows you to attach your implementation plan document to the database.

- 1. Select the appropriate committee from the "Plan for:" pull down menu.
- 2. Click on the "Upload Document" field and click on the "Browse" button.
- 3. Select the file from your computer you wish to attach to the database.
- 4. Use the "Description" field to enter additional information about the implementation plan document.
- 5. Click "Save/Submit" to save your entry.



### **Create New Specialist Committee Document** – Use this form to add a new document.

- 1. Select the appropriate committee from the "Document for:" pull-down menu.
- 2. Click on the "Upload Document" field and click on the "Browse" button.
- 3. Select the file from your computer you wish to attach to the database.
- 4. Select the Status of the document.
- 5. Include a Title for the document.
- 6. Click "Save/Submit" to save your entry.



#### **Add New Member** – Use this form to add a new member to a Specialist Committee.

- 1. Select the appropriate committee from the "Specialist Committee" pull-down menu.
- 2. Enter the Name, Location, Department, E-Mail, Phone, Job Title, and membership Status.
- 3. Click "Save/Submit" to save your entry.



**Schedule Meeting** – This form allows you to enter and post information about upcoming meeting and details about the meeting.

- 1. Select the appropriate committee from the "Sub Committee:" pull down menu.
- 2. Enter the Location, modify the date (if necessary), and enter the times for the meeting.
- 3. Click on the "Agenda" field or "Meeting Minutes" field and click on the "Browse" button.
- 4. Select the file from your computer you wish to attach to the database
- 5. Use the "Summary Notes" field to enter notes about the meeting.
- 6. Click "Save/Submit" to save your entry

